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QUEEN PRIZES SHOWN TODAY

J. J. Bailey who is one of the hardest workers for the success of the queen's contest, and the coming Moose carnival has had a job out for himself for this morning that will tax his artistic powers, as well as his muscles. During the early work of last week arrangements were completed whereby the Palace Hardware & Arms company agreed to let Mr. Bailey place all the presents in one of the windows of the handsome new store room. Mr. Bailey reserved Monday morning for the trial of his skill as a window dresser. This morning he will endeavor to have the hundred and one things set around in the most orderly and artistic confusion possible, so as to give the greatest possible showing to the really splendid capital prize, the \$50 diamond ring that has been secured in the Phoenix lodge, Loyal Order of Moose as capital prize.

The contest is on in earnest now. The girls who have agreed to enter have been supplied with tickets and already they are hustling copies from their friends. On Thursday evening of this week a public dance will be held at the Moose hall, the regular weekly dance in fact, but the advantage it is to be the contestants' day in the fact that they will receive so many votes every ticket they sell to the dance. Several organizations proud of their prestige and reputation in the realm of fraternalism in the city are in behind some of the candidates with an absolute view of doing all that is possible within the bounds of honesty and fairness to land the particular girl that has been chosen by that particular bunch. It is going to make the contest for Queen of the coming Moose Carnival one of the most interesting that has ever been held here.

The lists have not been closed. There is still time for others who desire to enter to do so, and their names will be listed gladly if the committee is brought in touch with the would be contestant. Secretary Freeman of the Moose can be reached on telephone 1423, or the contest committee at 1493.

Who will wear the splendid ring?

TENSION GROWS

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a step toward war. In announcing his purpose to address the senate, Senator Stone said he would answer some of the arguments, less by the republicans, but declared the situation was one of such grave importance that it should not be debated in the senate in a partisan way. Preparing for his address, the Missouri senator has conferred with President Wilson and Secretary Lansing and his views on the subject are being awaited with interest by members of both houses, who do not conceal the belief that the nation is facing the gravest diplomatic crisis since the beginning of the European war.

Mexican affairs also are to be aired again in the senate, republican senators planning to attack the president's

report on Senator Fall's resolution asking for information concerning the Panama government. Senator Fall has expressed disappointment because the president and Secretary Lansing did not disclose diplomatic correspondence relating to political conditions in Mexico which led up to the recognition of Carranza.

In the foreign relations committee Wednesday the nomination of Henry Fletcher as ambassador to Mexico will be considered and administration senators are purpose to demand a vote on a motion to recommend its confirmation to the senate. Action on the nomination has been held up pending the president's Mexican report. The general opinion at the capital is that his nomination will be confirmed before the end of the week.

Other important matters to occupy the attention of the senate branch during the week will be the Hatcher trust, a resolution to direct congressional investigation into charges of inefficiency of the army aviation service, continuation of the inquiry into the fitness of Louis D. Brandeis for the supreme court, water power legislation and further inquiry into the alleged effort of American interests to monopolize the steel output of Yucatan.

In both houses the preparedness program will be urged on in the committees which are framing the army and navy bills.

The Kitchen resolution to repeal the free sugar clause of the Underwood-Simmons tariff law may be reached late this week in the house. Two democrats already have notified Majority Leader Kitchin that they will not be bound by the caucus decision to support the measure when a vote is taken. Other democrats may join the "insurgent" ranks, it is said. As yet no attempt has been made by the opposition to perfect an amendment and it is probable that they will do no more than speak and vote against it individually. Majority leaders assert that adoption of the resolution in the house is assured.

If consideration of the free sugar resolution does not follow disposal of the postoffice appropriation bill, which will be passed early this week, the Burnett immigration bill will be taken up instead. Representative Sabath and others, opposed to the literacy test, will wage a determined fight on the floor against the measure. The Asiatic exclusion bill now is being read by paragraph in the immigration committee and its introduction, Representative Baker, of California, hopes to have it reported.

MRS. PANKHURST TALKS

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—A mass meeting held here to raise funds for Serbian war sufferers was attended by several members of the diplomatic corps and was addressed by Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the English suffragette. Considerable sums were pledged to the fund.

TWO TYPES OF SECURITIES

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] AMSTERDAM, Feb. 20 (via London).—The Frankfurter Zeitung states that the new German war loan will comprise two types of securities, those of the customary war loan at five per cent and 4½ per cent exchequer bonds sold below par and redeemed in series at par.

IS FRIGHTENED PREMATURELY

Contention of City in Case of Application for Injunction Against Paving Assessment: A Statute Said to Bar Restraining Order

It was the contention of City Attorney Christy in the hearing before Judge Lyman in chambers on Saturday night, of the application of Mont Anderson against the city for an injunction to restrain the defendant from levying an assessment against his property for improvements on West Washington street, that the plaintiff had become scared of a premature danger. It was true that his property lies within a paving district created by the city commission, embracing the section of West Washington street proposed to be paved. But no assessment has yet been made against the property of the plaintiff and it is not certain that that property will be assessed; it may be found that it will not be benefited by the proposed improvement. At any rate, before an assessment could be made the plaintiff, Mr. Christy said, would have ample opportunity to present his objections to it and at various stages before a lien could be established against his property he could apply for the same relief that he seeks now.

The city attorney further contended that the relief asked for by the applicant cannot be granted to him now or at any other time, by the process of an injunction, for under paragraph 1459 of the revised statutes, "An injunction cannot be granted to prevent the execution of a public statute by officers of the law for the public benefit." This paragraph is taken from the California statutes and the city attorney introduced some forty decisions sustaining it by the California supreme court, many of which related to attempts to restrain city officials from carrying out improvements which they had been authorized by statute to order.

The creation of paving districts, the city attorney argued, was under authority of statute.

EDUCATORS IN DETROIT

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] DETROIT, Feb. 20.—With all the leading hotels reported filled many Detroiters today threw open their homes to visiting educators who have come to the city by the hundreds to attend conferences and conventions which begin tomorrow and conclude on Friday. These meetings under the auspices of the National Educational association are to dispose of a great mass of routine business incident to the annual convention of the N. E. A. at New York City in July. Sermons dwelling upon some of the aims of the educators, were held in all various churches during the day and night.

TAX COLLECTORS GATHER

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] FRISCO, Cal. Feb. 20.—Twenty or twenty-seven counties will be represented here tomorrow at the opening of the two-day convention of the Tax Collectors' association of California. Many of the delegates arrived tonight. One of the important matters to be taken up will be the resolution introduced by Ray W. Baker of this city, urging the reduction of the fifteen per cent penalty for delinquency to five per cent. J. C. Lamb, Orange county, is president; and C. R. Stibben, Riverside county, is secretary.

MAX NOT RELEASED

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] LONDON, Feb. 20.—Reuters' Amsterdam correspondent says it has been decided that the report that Adolphe Max, former burgomaster of Brussels, has been released by the Germans and sent to Switzerland was unfounded.

It was reported at Havre on February 17 that the burgomaster, who was arrested by the Germans soon after the outbreak of the war and later taken to Germany had been liberated and sent to Switzerland.

FORM COALITION MINISTRY

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] AMSTERDAM, Feb. 21 (via London).—The Luxembourg correspondent of the Lokal Anzeiger states that a coalition ministry for Luxembourg has been formed. The Council of State Thorn, a liberal.

The Luxembourg cabinet, headed by Dr. Loutsch, resigned last month. Recent dispatches have reported that democratic societies of the Duchy had demonstrated that the will of the people and not that of the Grand Duchess, should be the supreme law.

ENGINEER DORWARD DEAD
[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] OAKLAND, Feb. 20.—Joseph E. Dorward, chief engineer of the steam schooner Excelsior which was run down in San Francisco bay February 8 by the steamer Harvard, died tonight of his injuries. In addition to being badly scalded by steam Dorward sustained a fractured skull. He leaves a widow, two daughters and a son.

AMMUNITION STORE BLOWN UP

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] LONDON, Feb. 21.—Three Bulgarian officers and 40 soldiers have been killed or wounded by the explosion of the chief ammunition store at Nish, says an Odessa dispatch to the Daily Mail. Fifty Serbian residents of the town have been arrested charged with complicity in the affair.

LORILLARD REJOINS SERBIANS

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] ATHENS, Feb. 19 (via Paris), Feb. 20.—George L. Lorillard, American charge d'affaires to Serbia, has gone to Corfu to rejoin the Serbian government.

PAY UP WEEK HERE AT LAST

Now Time for Everyone to Start Paying Bills; You Pay Yours and Someone Will Pay Theirs; Effects Felt Saturday

Pay up week is here at last. After having been advertised and talked about for most a month now, the great week has descended upon Phoenix all at once.

As an added attraction many merchants are going to put on special sales.

That the week will be a success, and that thousands of dollars will be passed back and forth, thus relieving the tension all around, is already an assured fact.

Several merchants stated Saturday night, that they had started even at their early date, to feel the effects of the movement.

Practically every business house in town has decorated their windows with red and black signs, advertising that now is an opportune time to come in and settle up.

Of course all bills don't have to be paid today, the period of grace extends until the 28th, but in order that every one will have a chance to pay up before the week is over, it is considered the best policy by those in charge to go ahead and pay those bills as soon as possible.

FOUNDRY IS BURNED

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] MONCTON, N. B. Feb. 20.—Fire of undetermined origin tonight destroyed the main building of the Record Foundry and Machine company here, causing a loss estimated at nearly \$30,000. The flames spread rapidly, but were confined to the one building, in which were located the offices, sales and shipping departments and nickel finishing branch of the company. The building of the munitions plant and others on the premises which are being fitted as barracks for an overseas battalion in training here, were not damaged.

WOOD URGES RESERVE FORCE

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Major General Leonard Wood, U. S. A., in an address here today before the West Side Young Men's Christian Association urged the establishment of a great reserve force of citizen soldiers at the defense of the country which would tend to make us a "united people of all creeds and nationalities." If a man accepts his right to vote, General Wood added, he is under a moral obligation to prepare himself for the defense of his country.

ESCAPED CONVICTS CAPTURED

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] SAN QUENTIN, Cal. Feb. 20.—Frank Gonzales and John Mansir, the San Quentin convicts who escaped last Monday from a gang of "honor men" employed on the state highway in Butte county, 25 miles from the Butte county jail, were brought back to Fort Bragg, were brought back to state penitentiary here today. They were captured by two mountaineers, after an exchange of shots, in which Gonzales was wounded in the leg. Gonzales was sentenced to San Quentin from Los Angeles and Mansir from San Diego.

B'NAI BRITH MEETS

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—The annual district convention of the Grand Lodge of B'NAI BRITH opened a three-day session here today with an attendance of about 150 delegates, representing lodges in California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Arizona and British Columbia. Henry K. Wolff of San Francisco, Grand President, presided at today's session, which was devoted to routine business.

BATTLE PAINTER DIES

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] LONDON, Feb. 21, 6:25 a. m.—Ludwig Braun, the Bavarian battle painter, has died at the age of 80, according to an Amsterdam dispatch to the Central News. Braun was present in the Franco-Prussian war as official painter and his most noted productions have had to do with incidents of that period.

NAME SECRETARY THIS WEEK

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—President Wilson is expected to select a new secretary of war this week. It was understood today that he had narrowed the list of men he considers available down to a few men. Either Secretary Houston, or Thomas D. Jones of Chicago were believed likely to be appointed.

ASKING FOR PEACE OVERTURES

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire] LONDON, Feb. 20.—The Copenhagen correspondent of the Daily Mail says he learns from trustworthy source that more than 500 prominent men, including ship owners and the senators from Hamburg, Lubbeck and Bremen, have signed a petition asking the German government to begin peace overtures so that the war may be ended in three months.

NO GUARANTEES

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Memorandum then accuses the Germans of a deliberate plan not to enter into any agreement of the proposed kind until they have taken "the last ounce of native stocks of raw materials and manufactured goods which can be of any use to them and until they have been able to create such widespread destitution as to force a residue amount of Belgian labor to emigrate to Germany or take employment in Belgian works controlled by

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1 Family Size Crackers	21c
1-8 size Wooden Box Crax	48c
1 quart Armour's Grape Juice	35c
Large size Sliced Hawaiian Pineapple	11c
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them for their purposes." The memorandum concludes: "The German authorities must be presumed from their silence to have refused to consent to the scheme put forward by the relief commission. Their fixed policy of impoverishing the country and driving the workmen into their employment now stands revealed. His majesty's government must disclaim all responsibility toward the Belgian people for the evils which the enemy both has caused and refused to remove."

NAVY LEAGUE

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most communities, has become interested in the plan of the naval reserve committee. Some time ago the navy department approved plans for a camp of this kind at the Great Lakes naval training station, near Chicago, at the request of ten thousand citizens who signed petitions. A large delegation will attend the convention from Chicago to and tell in detail of the plans made for the camp there, which has met with the enthusiastic approval of yachtsmen and motorboat owners.

The Man Who Didn't Go To College

"Joffre — French — von Hindenburg! Nonsense!" Bob Townsend rose from his chair and stood, tall and distinguished-looking, smiling at the three men. "Two thousand years ago Alexander with only fifty thousand men almost annihilated an army of one million Persians. He defeated another army of six hundred thousand with a loss of only ninety of his soldiers. That's generalship," with which parting shot, Townsend bade good night to the little group before the club window.

"Isn't that just like Bob?" exploded Cartwright, the bank president. "It beats me how he manages to have his information so 'pat.' Here we are — three college men — and I understand Townsend didn't even go to high school. Yet what do we know about Alexander — Alexander the Great, I suppose he meant. Jim, you knew Townsend in the old days. What's the answer?"

Jim Scott was the best-liked man in the club. His meager success in business was the more regretted.

"Bob Townsend and I were school kids together. When I entered high school, Bob went to work. I remember in our talks how he envied me — I was the one with the bright future. And look where he is today." Jim lit a fresh cigar.

"Well, I went away to college. Lost track of Bob and when I met him after some years he was married and with the B. E. Co. Had two boys then. We lunched together and he wanted to talk college all the time. Asked all manner of questions about Yale and whether I thought it would be a good school for his boys.

"Another thing he said was that he wanted his boys to WANT a real education, and that meant it was up to him to set the example.

"His wife told me, long afterward, that Bob bought a dictionary and an encyclopedia and that he used to read that encyclopedia evenings while she sewed. Any unfamiliar subject he ran up against during the business day or in conversation, he would track down evenings in the encyclopedia and the books it referred him to.

"Well, you know the kind of boys he has. And do you know a better-posted man, any of you, than Bob Townsend? He told me that his old encyclopedia was his Alma Mater. It's still on his shelves although he has newer and better editions. I'll tell you why Bob is the best informed man I know. It's because he owns an encyclopedia and USES it, thanks to a habit formed in early life because of his own ambitions as well as his ambitions for his boys."

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